

**Amendment No. 1 to HB3150**

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**AMEND Senate Bill No. 2843\***

**House Bill No. 3150**

by deleting all language following the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 37-1-403, is amended by inserting the following as a new subsection (g) thereto and by designating the current subsection (g) as subsection (h):

(g) Every physician or other person who makes an initial diagnosis of pregnancy to a minor sixteen (16) years of age or younger, and every superintendent or manager of a clinic, dispensary, or charitable or penal institution in which there is a case of a minor sixteen (16) years of age or younger who is determined to be pregnant, shall provide to such minor's parent, if the parent is present, any readily available written information on how to report to the department of children's services an occurrence of sex abuse which may have resulted in the minor's pregnancy unless such disclosure to the parent would violate the federal Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996 or the regulations promulgated pursuant thereto.

(i) Failure to provide such written information shall not subject a person to the penalty provided by §37-1-412.

(ii) The department of children's services shall provide to the department of health the relevant written information. The department of health shall distribute copies of such written information to all licensees of the appropriate health related boards through the boards' routinely issued newsletters. At the time of initial licensure, these boards will also provide new licensees a copy of the relevant written information for distribution pursuant to (g) above.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.